

To California Department of Education

Textbooks on comfort women must not be published. South Korean comfort women during the world war were not sex slave but prostitute. The women received monthly wages Yen300 compared with Yen80 for Japanese soldiers. At that time, S. Korea was in extreme poverty and S. Koreans had to choose death/dignity or selling body to survive. Their families sold the daughter to S. Korean agents which introduced the daughters to Japan's military. Japanese military put strict discipline on its soldiers. The prostitutes were very proud of contributing to S. Korea by gaining foreign currency and were envied by ordinary S. Koreans. There were no coercion for the prostitutes. South Korea's military committed war crime during Vietnam War. Its soldiers raped many daughters of ordinary Vietnamese in front of the families and after that, killed the daughters, then the families. Now about 30,000 Laidaihan (half blood between S. Korean soldiers and raped Vietnamese) live in Vietnam. The Vietnamese's victims protested Park, president of S. Korea at the meeting with Obama, President. S. Korea has not apologized to nor compensated the victims. During Vietnam War, S. Korean government provided comfort women facilities for American soldiers. When occupying Japan after the world war, the U.S. soldiers raped many Japanese women, so Japanese government founded comfort women facilities for American soldiers to avoid victims of Japanese women. American soldiers belonging to U.S. base in Okinawa, Japan raped Japanese young girls frequently, so many Okinawa people flew into rage to the U.S. military which protected the criminal who were deported to the U.S. without being brought to trial in court of Japan because of unfair status treaty between Japan and U.S. Will The U.S. be democratic country? Will The U.S. be qualified to state about comfort women? The U.S. military enjoyed comfort women in the world. South Korea economic situation will be remain same as in North Korea without Japan's contribution to S. Korea in infrastructure, finance, technology, literacy and so on before, during and after the war. South Korea was governed by Japan, so it is natural for S. Korean to cooperate Japan in the war. Even if Japan was defeated in the war, Japan has no obligation, but provided to S. Korea twice money GDP of S. Korea and many assistance. With the above huge contribution and assistance, S. Korea has developed rapidly, but it has not expressed thanks to Japan. On the contrary, S. Korea has been fabricating false history on the comfort women and erecting statues of comfort women in the U.S. and Canada as well as S. Korea to humiliate Japan. Comfort women were prostitutes as explained above. Many U.S. soldiers played at the prostitute facilities and conducted wars. If you learn true history and are fair, you should put on textbooks about war crimes by S. Korean soldiers during Vietnam War, cruel conducts by the U.S. soldiers during Vietnam War and after the world war in Japan.

I am strongly against the teaching of inaccurate history at schools in California and attach the writing.

Hideshi Sugino
Seto City, Japan